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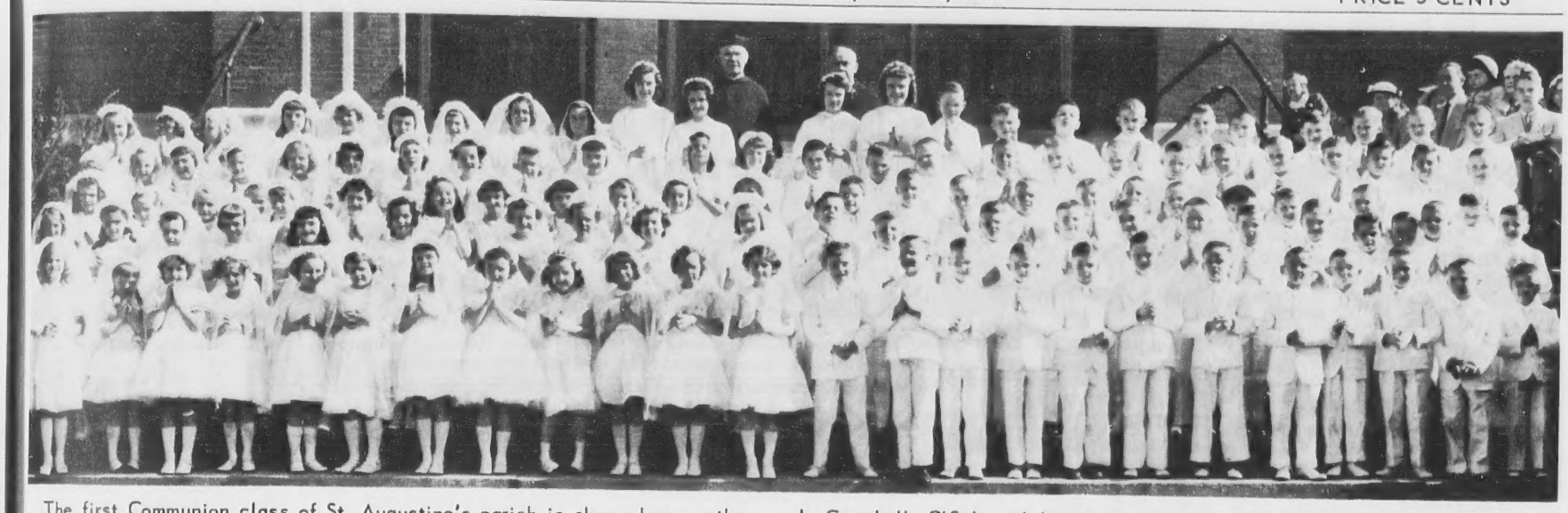

The first Communion class of St. Augustine's parish is shown here as they prepared to take their first Communion last Saturday morning. The Rev. Patrick J. Campbell, O.S.A. celebrated the 8 o'clock Mass with the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A. assisting. One hundred and ten children attended. (Andover Art)

## Little League Opens Sunday

Four Little League teams will take the field Sunday in a season-opening double-header at the Playstead.

Opening day ceremonies will begin there at 3:30, League President James G. Prout Jr. announced this week.

The Cardinals, under manager Lafayette Stickney, will meet Albert Carpentier's Yankees in the

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## Town May Wait Until September To Give Serum

A strong possibility that first and second grade students here will not get polio vaccine this spring was voiced this week.

Dr. William V. Emmons, chairman of the board of health, flatly stated that the board is seriously considering postponement of the vaccinations until fall if a supply of the Salk serum is not on hand

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## Andover Mourns The Passing Of Roy E. Hardy

Roy E. Hardy, 62, 113 Chestnut st., was pronounced dead on arrival at the Lawrence General hospital late Tuesday afternoon.

He was first elected to the board of selectmen and assessors in 1936, retiring voluntarily March 1, 1954. His last four years in office were spent as chairman of both boards.

Since his retirement from public office, Mr. Hardy had maintained his interest in town affairs. He spoke energetically at town meeting on several articles of general interest.

He was a prominent businessman, owner of the Recreation

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# Debate Land Cost For New High School Site

### NO TAX RATE ESTIMATE YET

**The tax rate will not be established here for at least two weeks or possibly a month.**

**J. Everett Collins, chairman of the board of assessors, revealed this week that a lot of work has to be done before the assessors can determine the rate. He said all assessment work has been completed, but the clerical end of it remains to be done.**

A difference of opinion over the value of the Esther Smith property on Shawsheen rd., slated to be the site of the new high school, is causing a temporary delay in completing purchase plans.

The selectmen, to whom was given the responsibility of buying the land, are not satisfied with the $35,000 price tacked onto it.

The assessed valuation of the 74.1 acres is $2500, according the assessors' records. Taxes of $117.50 were paid on the parcel in 1954, the records show.

Chairman J. Everett Collins said a conference with the real estate people concerned will be

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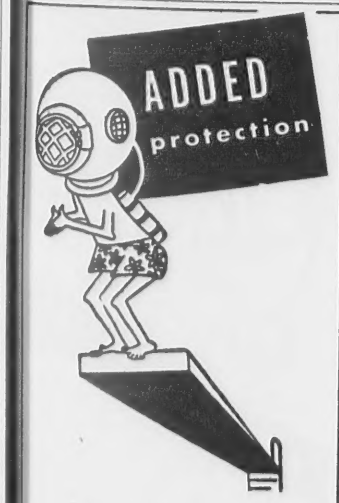


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**JUNIOR GARDEN CLUB RECEIVES $10 AWARD**

In behalf of the Junior Garden club, Mrs. Ernest Wilkinson has received an award for accumulating the record number of hours in Junior Garden club participation. The $10 is in the form of a credit towards the purchase of books for future use.

The group also received a $5 award from the Horticultural society for its exhibit at the spring flower show in Boston.


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Youngsters in the sixth grade, Shawsheen school, conducted the regular chapel service last week under the direction of Miss Anne Harnedy, principal. It was designed around the vocal and instrumental talent of the students. (Townsman Photo)


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# SHAWSHEEN

Mrs. Kay Noyes, Correspondent, Telephone 2002

**SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL CHAPEL**

**The Shawsheen school held its regular chapel program last Friday morning with the sixth grade students performing. Miss Anne Harnedy, principal, arranged the material which was designed around the vocal and instrumental talent of the youngsters.**

The program opened with the "One Hundredth Psalm", followed by the "Lord's Prayer" and the children of all grades combined to sing "Onward Christian Soldiers".

Joseph Calcina introduced Norman St. Laurent, who played a piano solo, "Theme from Liebestraum", which was followed by a recitation by Louanne King.

The sixth grade chorus sang a medley of songs after which Hugh Blackmer recited "America for Me".

**The audience then enjoyed a lively trumpet solo by Keith Lauder entitled "Marine Hymn", and Shirley Warshaw followed with "Robin Redbreast", a piano selection. A poem called "Aladdin's Lamp" was recited by Joan Freeman after which the audience watched Carolyn Robertson and Keith Lauder re-enact a scene from the operetta. The closing piano selection "Waves of the Blue Danube" was played by Peggy Lacey.**

The combined second grades will be the performers in the next program, which will be on May 20.

**HUSSEY'S POND ONCE VITAL**

**Hussey's pond, opposite the Merrimack Mutual Insurance building on Poor st., was not always the placid pond of today but once supplied the power needed to run a saw mill which stood where Woodworth Motors is now located.**

The pond came from three streams originating near the present Country Club and at that time flowed under the present Insurance building in a channel and then up in back of what is now the Woodworth building in an open stream on into the Shawsheen river. The residents of the village used the stream for washing their clothes.

Floods were not unusual during that era and it was not a rare sight to see Shawsheen center, then Frye Village center, covered with water. The center of the village has been raised several feet by floods – the most recent being in March, 1936.

**Although the water rights to the pond changed hands many times, the original owner was Samuel Frye, for whom the village was first named. The pond received its name from Elizah Hussey who became the next owner. One purchaser even planned to construct Turkish baths on the nowlandscaped lot between Main and Poor st.**

**Around 1902, the American Degreasing company bought the water rights with the idea of carrying on a wool scaling business, but it never materialized. William Wood eventually became the owner and, under his direction, the pond was drained and filled with sand to be used for swimming. Today the pond commands little attention, being used solely for the enjoyment of youngsters of the village for fishing in the summer and skating in the winter months.**

**REGISTRATION**

**Registration of children who are to enter the kindergarten of the Shawsheen school next September will be held Wednesday, May 18, from 9-12 and 1-3 at the school.**

**It is important that parents bring the child to the kindergarten room at this time where they will have an opportunity to meet the child's teacher, as well as the principal of the school, the dental hygienist, and the school nurse.**

Parents must bring proof of the child's birth date. Pupils may enter kindergarten providing they will be five years of age on or before the first day of January of the current school year.

Parents who have not notified the school that their child will enter kindergarten are urged to do so before the day of registration.

**GUEST AT SUPPER PARTY**

**Mrs. Ronald Astley and Mrs. Ralph Burnett were co-hostesses at a supper party for 40 guests at the home of Mrs. Astley in South Hadley Falls this week.**

The guest of honor was their niece, Dorothy Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Dunn of Sutherland st., whose marriage to Thomas Hinckley of Yarmouthport will take place Saturday, May 21, at 3 p.m. in Cochran chapel.

The dining table was attractively decorated in pastel colors with miniature shower umbrellas as favors. A unique three-tiered, simulated fountain held many gifts for the bride-to-be. The guests were entertained by a professional imitator who imitated many celebrities of stage and screen.

**BOWLING BANQUET**

**The annual dinner dance and awards night of the Shawsheen Heights Women's bowling league was held last Saturday evening at Oak Lodge in North Andover.**

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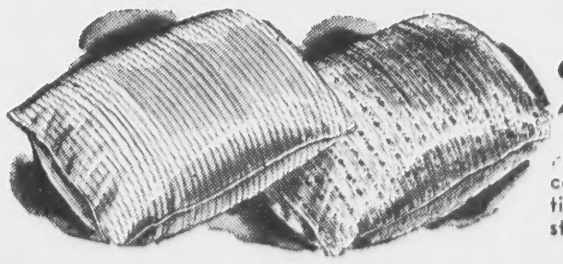

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Andover born, he was a type of man far too rare. He gave generously of his services to our library (trustee and chairman); savings bank, (trustee and auditor); public schools, (committeeman and member of junior high school building committee); and trusteeships in many lines of Andover's business activity.

He was a lover of home and a pillar of the South Congregational church.

In his faith and conduct he was a conservative. His friends recall, with gratitude, his genuineness, his approachableness, his mental keenness.

As a man of strong convictions, he presented his views with clarity and fairness. After patiently listening to the views of others, he was always willing to give up his own opinions when he was assured that others were right.

He discriminated between principles and opinions.

His charities were many but always and unostentatiously executed.

Phillips academy, Yale, M.I.T., and studies at Heidelberg, Germany, furnished his main field of preparatory study after which he served over a span of years as chief chemist of the American Woolen company, with high technical skill and marked efficiency.

His standards of culture and character were high.

He was a skillful golf player and a devotee of a variety of sports and games in which he was often a participant as well as observor.

During his entire lifetime, he retained his keen enjoyment and understanding of the best in music.

Though his health, for some years, had been carefully nurtured, his spirit triumphed over physical limitations.

Very reluctantly his associates consented to the circumstances that led him to terminate his business relationships that had been mutually happy.

He was best known in Andover as a man of judgement, wide knowledge, probity and true to the best New England tradition as an unassuming, conscientious and splendid citizen.

S.F.

"At the turn of the century, life at the University of Heidelberg, mostly filled with intensive study, had liberally added the charm of music for which Philip Franklin Ripley and his bride, Mabel Ginevra Bacon, were already trained and had the talent to practice.

His professor was one of the leading chemists of his day. Perhaps those old-world influences combined with delicate health held with him, making him seem a little remote and retiring and leaving public office career to his brother, the late Alfred Lawrence Ripley.

F. P. MacCl.

Extract from one of the many letters of appreciation received by Susan Ripley Ward on the recent death of her father:

"From my first coming to Andover, he and your mother showed me so much kindness and encouragement that I shall always feel greatly their debtor. He was so much the epitome of the New England tradition of plain living and high thinking – the way of life which was so nobly embodied in the Concord group of writers, and which, unhappily, seems so fast disappearing from our midst – so much the embodiment of that tradition that I shall always remember him as I so often met him with his market basket, stopping to pass a kindly, smiling word with me about some book or idea which had interested him."

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## NO. ANDOVER HOMES OPEN

The No. Andover Garden club has announced that 10 old homes and some gardens will be open for inspection June 11 from 2-5 p.m. Admission will include refreshments.

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# YOUR GOVERNMENT

**PUBLIC WORKS BOARD**

**Laborer George Hutchins granted 30 days leave of absence after a two-week vacation, starting immediately.**

State engineer will look at retaining wall of John Murray, 27 Summer st., who complains it is crumbling.

Charles Proulx complained about town dump conditions. Police have been asked to prosecute offenders.

**Highway department vacations will be taken in August of 1956, with a poll of workers to determine which two weeks in the month. Reason: more time in July to finish tarring roads, as skeleton crew is maintained during present July vacation period.**

A truck and driver loaned to Boy Scouts for May 14 for cleaning project around the dump. Expect 40 to 50 boys.

Merle Buchan, temporary tree department employee, made permanent.

Tabled releasing land of Jack Hill, 1 Walnut ave., originally taken along with other land near Haggett's pond. State board of health approved only a 50-foot strip near the pond and areas to be taken at later date will not include Hill's land, Chairman White stated.

**Choice of engineers for Rogers brook and Shawsheen Heights projects narrowed to three: B. F. Goodwin of Haverhill, N. E. Survey Service and Charles McGuire associates. To meet B.P.W. Friday night for one hour apiece.**

Board will wait until at least June 15 to meet with officials of Hyde Park construction firm relation to their work on Ballardvale sewer project. Town withheld $8000 from payment due to condition of roads; and will do road work itself.

Announced approval of finance committee and selectmen of water extensions involving Vine st., Dascomb rd., Spring Grove and Bellevue rd., total cost $7962.

**Agreed to hire trench hoe, 3/8 yard, from Francis P. Reilly at $9 an hour, eight-hour day; ½ yard hoe from Cronin Construction company at $100 day and ¾ yard hoe from Cyr Construction at $116 a day; all for water main digging.**

**H. Coleman Randolph receive permission to erect curb barrier in front of his lawn, on public way, but was warned that it might have to be removed if the road is widened.**

**Appoints Firefighter**

The first man named on a civil service list for a vacancy in the fire department has been named to the job.

He is Edward A. Palenski of Porter rd. He was appointed to the $65-a-week job to replace retired Timothy Madden by Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan with the approval of the selectmen. Others on the list were William H. Patterson, Upland rd., and William T. Downs, 16 Morton st.

**Selectmen's Business**

Granted pole locations on Dascomb rd., Spring Grove rd., for Lawrence Electric company.

Accepted invitation to take part in Little League opening day ceremonies.

Granted permission to use part of sidewalk to contractor excavating on Main st.

Heard complaints about junk yard conditions at two private homes at the corner of Pine and Burnham rd. and on Greenwood rd.

**Planning Board Notes**

Planning responsibilities are assigned to individual members; Robert MacMackin, industrial zoning; Mrs. Virginia Hammond, changes in zoning by-law; Eugene Bernardin, off-street parking downtown.

A joint meeting with the school committee is scheduled for June 6.

Professional planners have been interviewed. Decision expected soon on hiring one on part time basis.

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## Kids Trout Derby Will Be Saturday, Sunday At Hussey's

Trout fishing enthusiasts who are 12 years old or younger can hardly wait for the sixth annual trout derby of the Andover Sportsman's club this weekend.

Rain or shine, the event will be held at Hussey's pond in Shawsheen village from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., both Saturday and Sunday.

Some 500 children, both boys and girls, enjoyed the derby last year.

Prizes will be awarded to the boy and girl catching the largest fish, according to chairman Albert E. Foss. The limit each day is five trout per person, he explained.

Other members serving on the derby committee are Edgar Haselton, Kenneth Wade, Henry Boucher, John Broderick, John Keith, Christopher Muller, Walter Swenson and William Greenwood.

The auxiliary police and other club members will help supervise the two-day event.

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**P.T.A. MEETING**

**The regular meeting of the Parent Teacher association was held in the Bradlee school last Thursday evening with the president, Mrs. Henry Wrigley, presiding. Mrs. William MacCausland had charge of the devotions. America was sung with Mrs. James Butler, pianist.**

During the business session, regular reports were read. A thank-you note was read from the Little League baseball team thanking the PTA for its contribution.

Mrs. Robert Auchterlonie reported a successful bakery sale which was held recently and also concerning the card party which will be held in the Bradlee school tonight at 8 o'clock.

The possibility of starting a cub scout pack in Ballardvale was brought up by the president. This met with the approval of those present. There are two dens in this town.

Mrs. Franklyn Haggerty, co-chairman of the banquet committee with Mrs. James Letters gave her report and announced the committee to include; Mrs. William Marruzzi, Mrs. Burton Batchelder, Mrs. Robert MacMackin, Mrs. Henry Wrigley and Lionel Goulet.

**Lionel Goulet, principal of the Bradlee school, read the following nominating report: president, Mrs. Henry Wrigley; 1st. vice president, Mrs. William Marruzzi; 2nd vice president, Lionel Goulet; secretary, Mrs. Henry Neunzer; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles Walent; treasurer, Mrs. James Letters; historian, Mrs. Alfred Smeltzer.**

Mrs. Almon Daniel's room won the banner award.

Mrs. Freda Bisbee spoke on a proposed fall trip for the children and asked if the parents would be willing to donate 35 cents for the project. This was approved.

The committee on new schools investigation gave a tentative report.

Monroe Leaf of Andover was the guest speaker and gave an interesting talk on his books for children, relating how he got the inspiration for writing them. He also made sketches that pleased. He spoke of "Watchbird" that he writes for the Ladies Home Journal. In his stories, he plans to have a moral that teaches children what to do. He was given a rising vote of thanks.

A social time followed and refreshments were served.

**PAPER AND RAG DRIVE**

**The troop committee of Boy Scout and Explorer post of troop 76 is sponsoring a waste paper and rag drive, which will be held next Sunday afternoon, May 15 between 1 and 3 p.m. The proceeds will be used to send the troop to Camp Onway this summer.**

**FRIENDLY GUILD BANQUET**

The annual Friendly Guild banquet will be held on the evening of May 19. The group will meet in front of the Congregational church at 6 o'clock. Anyone wishing transportation is asked to contact one of the committee, which includes Mrs. Frank Froburg, Mrs. Harry Batchelder and Mrs. Frank Green, before Tuesday noon.

**Mother and Daughter Party**

**An enjoyable Mother and Daughter party and entertainment was held Monday night in the Union Congregational church vestry, under the sponsorship of the Friendly Guild.**

Following the supper, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe presented the mistress of ceremony, Mrs. Randolph Perry, with a corsage. She in turn presented the following corsages: oldest mother present, Mrs. Bertha Bachmann, mother of Mrs. William McIntyre; mother with the most children (there were two with five) Mrs. Robert Mitchell and Mrs. Frank Froburg; the youngest mother, Mrs. Donald Lynch; mother who came the farthest, Mrs. James Taylor, mother of Mrs. Joseph Gill; mother with the most girls present, (there were two with three) Mrs. William MacCausland and Mrs. Russell Hall; mother with the youngest daughter present, Mrs. Harry Batchelder.

A varied program then followed: piano solo, Shelia Serio; solos, "If I give my Heart To You" and "Melody of Love" Patricia Smalley; ballet dance, Mildred Mucci; community singing; the Dis-Cordettes then rendered two songs, "I Don't Wanna See You Crying" and "Mr. Sandman", Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. James Butler and Mrs. Frank Green.

**Mrs. Edward I. Erickson of Andover then gave three readings and ended with an appropriate poem.**

Committee in charge: Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. James Letters, Mrs. James Butler, Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. Frank Green and Mrs. Randolph Perry.

**ENTERTAINMENT**

**The Junior Youth group entertained mothers of members at a party Sunday afternoon in the Congregational church vestry. Following the program, Judith Webb, Lorna Marruzzi and Patricia Butler served refreshments.**

The program was as follows: announcer, Jonathan Langdell; poem, Richard Meyers; song, "Heart of my Heart" Judith Webb, Patricia Butler and Janet Marceau; duet, violin, Lorna Marruzzi and Cello, Carol Marruzzi; tap dance, Virginia Neunzer; riddle contest, Craig and Kent Warner; flutephone number, Ruth and Virginia Hall, Sandra Webb, Linda MacCausland, Carol and Diane Marruzzi.

Others present were: the Rev. Anthony Perrino, Mrs. Henry Neunzer, Mrs. Russell Hall, Mrs. William MacCausland, Mrs. Alfred Webb, Mrs. James Butler, William Butler, Mrs. Henry Meyers, Mrs. William McLellan, Mrs. William Marruzzi and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warner.

**ORDAINED**

**The Rev. James A. Green was ordained Sunday at the Troy, N.Y. conference at Pittsfield. The Rev. Mr. Green is a former Ballardvale resident, where he was a member of the Methodist church. He will be graduated from the Boston University School of Theology June 5. He was an honor student at Northeastern university. He received a license as a local preacher in 1952, and decided to enter the Methodist ministry and preached his first sermon in the Vale church.**

**BOY SCOUT MEETING**

The regular weekly meeting of the Boy Scout troop 76 was held in the scout room last Friday evening with committeeman Franklyn Haggerty in charge.

The Eagle patrol gave a first aid demonstration with the following boys participating: James Smeltzer, Daniel Dunn, Richard Sheaff, John McIntyre and Joseph Steele. Pamphlets concerning Camp Onway were distributed and Franklyn Haggerty described plans to raise money for a week at the camp this summer. John McIntyre was elected treasurer.

**P.T.A. CARD PARTY**

**The ways and means committee of the P.T.A. will hold a public card party in the Bradlee school tonight at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Robert Auchterlonie is chairman and has the following group helping her: Mrs. Tyler Perry, Mrs. Samuel Mucci, Mrs. William Marruzzi, and Mrs. Henry Wrigley.**

**BROWNIES MEET**

The regular meeting of the Brownie troop was held last Wednesday afternoon in the scout room with the leader, Mrs. Robert Auchterlonie and assistants, Mrs. James Letters and Mrs. Tyler Perry, in charge.

Following the business meeting and game period the time was spent in making various colored handkerchiefs into the form of butterflies, which were presented to Brownie mothers on Mothers' day.

Brownies present were: Kathe-

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## Final Jr.-Sr. PTSA Meeting May 18

The Punchard and Junior high school PTSA will hold its final meeting of the year on May 18 at 7:30 p.m. The program will consist of selections by the Girl's Glee club under Mrs. Wilson and some numbers by the gym team under Mr. Dunn and Miss Rizzo.

The business meeting and report of the nominating committee will follow. Refreshments will be served in the library and exhibitions by the various departments will be shown in their respective rooms for the parents to visit.

Members of the National Honor society, under the supervision of Miss Marjorie Smith, will act as guides to assist the parents in locating the various exhibits.

Both teachers and students have put much time and effort into making the program a success and it is hoped that the parents will show their interest by attending and giving their support.

## SHAWSHEEN

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**The league completed its bowling season with the following teams in their high average order: Yale rd., Alice Moriarty, capt.; Princeton ave., Elaine O'Reilley, capt.; Cornell rd., Joyce Misenti, capt.; Dartmouth rd., Helen Drouin, capt.**

**Awards were made to Elaine O'Reilley for high single of 129, Helen Drouin for high average of 96 and to Alice Moriarty for high triple of 325.**

**PERSONALS**

**Miss Esther Dodge of No. Main st. is vacationing in Knocksville, Tenn., with Miss Illa Dyer, formerly of Shawsheen.**

Mr. and Mrs. James Tighe of Canterbury st. recently moved to Conn.

David Wilkinson, sophomore at Bates college, Lewiston, Me., and Thomas Wilkinson of the U. S. Military academy at West Point, have been home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson of York st. over the past weekend.

Daniel McBain of North Main st., is a medical patient at the Veterans hospital, Manchester, N.H.

## Garden Club Makes Final Show Plans

Final plans are being made this week for the spring flower show of the Andover Garden club May 18 and 19 in Christ church parish house.

Those interested in entering the potted plant and African violet class should obtain registration blanks from Mrs. Joseph Myatt.

Botanical exhibits should be in the parish house between 2 and 4 p.m. May 17.

A President's cup, donated by President Mrs. Byron Cleveland, will be given to the group from the Junior Garden club that the judges think most worthy in any of the categories that group enters.

Another local group, the Spade and Trowel club, has been invited to take part in the show. President Mrs. John Pritchard has appointed Mrs. Frank Sherman III, Mrs. John Leadbetter, Mrs. Robert McAnern and Mrs. Peregrin Schwarzer as a committee to arrange a display of wild plants.

**MISS LESLEY WESTFALL WINS SECOND PRIZE**

Miss Lesley Jane Westfall, 41 Summer st., won second prize in the annual Horace Mann essay contest sponsored by the Educational Publicity committee. She is a freshman at the Framingham State teachers college.


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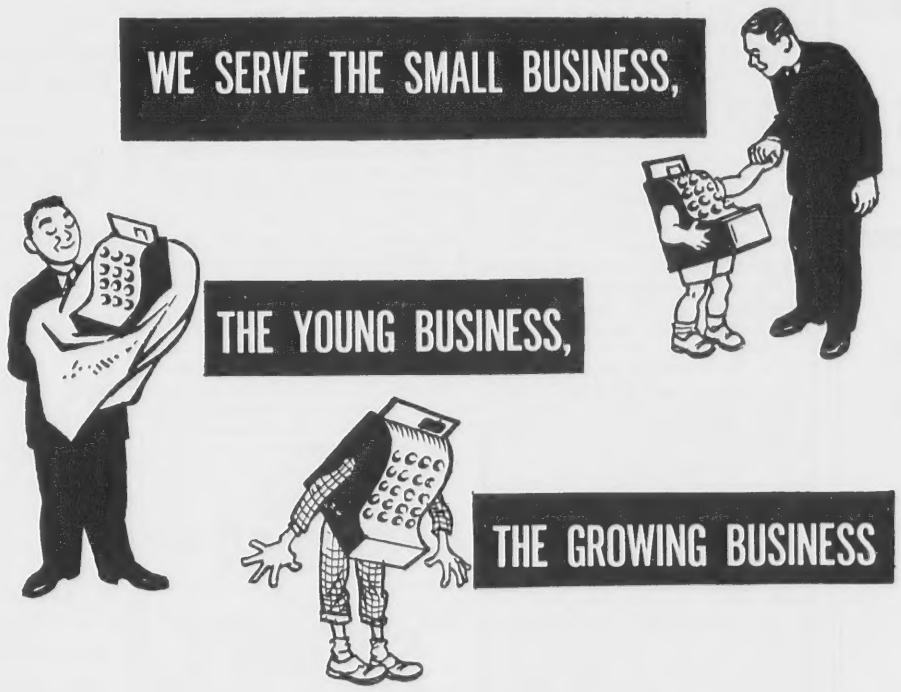


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# OBITUARIES

**Mrs. Elizabeth Carmichael**

Mrs. Elizabeth (Miller) Carmichael, widow of George B. Carmichael, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Caldwell, 68 Memorial cir., following a long illness.

A native of Galashiels, Scotland, she had resided in Andover for the past 37 years. She was a past president of the ladies auxiliary to Clan Johnston, 185, O.S.C. and a member of the Free Christian church.

Surviving are two daughters, Helen, wife of Richard Caldwell; A. Elizabeth, wife of Roger H. Whitcomb; one son, James G., all of Andover; a brother, Peter Miller of Scotland; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret B. Bertram of Andover, Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Worcester and Mrs. Cedric Lear of Sunapee, N.H.; four grandchildren; also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2:30 by the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th.D., pastor of the Free church. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

**MISS MARY J. HICKEY**

Miss Mary J. Hickey, a former resident of Andover, died last Saturday in Haverhill following a short illness.

A native of Dundee, Scotland, she came to this country as a young girl and was employed in the Marland mills. She had resided in Haverhill for four years, making her home with a niece, Mrs. Winifred G. Brown.

Besides the niece with whom she lived, there are six other nieces surviving; Mrs. Jemima Connolley of Haverhill, Mrs. Mary McNulty of Andover, Mrs. Catherine Colmer of Windham, N.H.; Mrs. Josephine Dyson of Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Elizabeth Filz of Richmond, Cal.; and Mrs. Margaret Young of Wakefield; and several grandnieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the John J. Hart funeral home with a high Mass of requiem in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers were George Brown, Robert Brown, Philip Trottier, Roland Colmer, Raymond Cardello and Lawrence Dyson Jr.

**MISS HELEN M. JORDAN**

Miss Helen M. Jordan, 23 Pasho st., died Friday night at the Lawrecne General hospital.

A resident of Andover for three years, she was the daughter of the late Frank and Carrie Jordan of Methuen. Surviving are a sister, Miss Carolyn F. Jordan, with whom she made her home; and a brother, Robert J. Jordan of this town.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the John Breen memorial funeral home, with a high Mass of requiem at St. Augustine's church. Burial was in Immaculate Conception cemetery.

The bearers were John Quinn, Warren McKone, Francis Shyne and Edward Hogan.

**MRS. MARY MALO**

Mrs. Mary (Farrell) Malo, retired teacher at the Lawrence industrial school, died May 4 at the Clover Hill hospital. Death was attributed to a cerebral hemorrhage by Medical Examiner Dr. John T. Batal.

Mrs. Malo made her home with a daughter, Mrs. M. Evelyn Kenny, 17 Argyle st. She was a member of the Sacred Heart sodality of St. Augustine's church and of the Caritas guild.

Surviving besides Mrs. Kenny are a son, Frank W., Springfield; a daughter, Hazel R., wife of Wayne R. Kopp, Dalafield, Wisc.; a brother, Edward F. Farrell of Salisbury Beach; a sister, Miss Ida K. Farrell of No. Andover and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday from the late home with a high Mass of requiem in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

Bearers were Thomas Farrell, John Wright, James Munroe, Matthew Doyle, Alfred Weber, all nephews and Augustine Kenny.

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**CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING**

**The entire membership of the combined churches will hold a business meeting tomorrow night at 7:30 in the Methodist auditorium. The by-laws, nominating and budget reports submitted by the two merger committees will be discussed and voted on.**

**W.S.C.S. TO MEET**

The Women's Society of Christian service will meet Thursday night, May 19, at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Lewis Nason of River st. This will be in the form of a birthday party.

**PERSONALS**

**Mrs. Ralph Greenwood of Tewksbury st. has returned home after spending the last two weeks visiting her brother, Everett Stevens of Dover and aunt, Mrs. Jennie Rich of Auburn, Me.**

Mr. and Mrs. William McLellen of Boston were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyers of Marland st.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrigley and children of Oak st. visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Klos of Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petty of Marblehead spent the weekend with Mrs. Frank Petty of Center st.

Miss Carol Perry of Boston spent the weekend with her cousin, Miss Blanche Znamierowski of Lowell Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. David Walsh and son, David Michael, of Dover, N.H. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Quinn of River st.

Mrs. Ethel Hepworth and Edgar and Pauline Hepworth visited with Mr. and Mrs. William MacCausland of Woburn st. on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson of Gilman, Vt., and Mrs. Donald Lynch and son, David James, of Portland, Conn. renewed acquaintances here Monday evening.

## Annual Art Exhibit May 18 At Jr. High

The annual art exhibition of students in the junior and senior high schools will be held in the junior high library, beginning May 18.

An exhibit of creative art, sponsored by members of the creative art course, it will begin at 6:45 to 10 p.m. and continue through the afternoons of May 19, 20, 23 and 24, from 2:30 to 5 p.m.

The work on exhibition will be from students from grades seven through 12.

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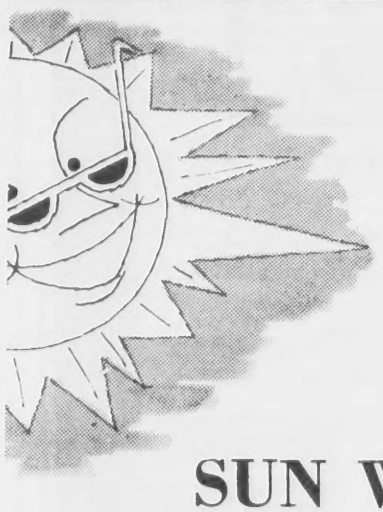
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## Justin Curry Wins Yale Fellowship

JUSTIN CURRY

Justin Curry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Curry, 96 Chestnut st., has been awarded a Yale fellowship.

He will attend the Yale Norfolk summer art school during August and September, under the grant.

Now a student at the school of the Museum of Fine Arts, Mr. Curry will complete his training there later next fall. He specializes in the painting course.

The Yale fellowship is awarded to outstanding students in creative art schools, upon nomination from their school. It is located in the Berkshires.

Mr. Curry is a Punchard high school graduate, where he took creative art under Miss Frances Dalton. He won the coveted November club art scholarship.

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Pointing out that it takes a full month to give the two shots, Dr. Emmons explained that schools close June 17. Thus, he said, if the serum is not on hand by May 17 or shortly after, it would be difficult to give the two shots before school closes.

He indicated, however, that the board would give the serum later than the June 17 date, if schools were reopened for the purpose.

"There has been an average of only one case of polio a year here for the past 10 years", Dr. Emmons stated. He said this figure is low and is partially responsible for the board's belief that polio shots could wait until fall.

"All we can do is wait," Dr. Emmons stated. He explained that the vaccine, when cleared by federal and state authorities, will be shipped from a manufacturer to biological laboratories in Jamaica Plain. The fire department has agreed to immediately pick up the supply there, he said.

The 675 youngsters in public, private and parochial schools here could receive their shots in one day, if necessary, Dr. Emmons declared. The board of health's original plan, he said, had been to take three days to do public school students and a single day for the youngsters in private and parochial schools.

Dr. Emmons explained that a record of children receiving initial shots would be sent to the state and enough serum for those recorded would be sent here for the second vaccination.

One of the difficulties of postponing the entire program until fall is the necessity of getting new consent slips from students entering school in the fall term. It would also make present second graders ineligible for the vaccine, he stated, as only the first and second graders are to receive it.

There are no plans here for innoculating any youngsters except in those two grades, he asserted, because of the newness of the program and a desire to see how it works.

## Ground-Breaking Ceremony Held For Gymnasium

Ground-breaking ceremonies for the new gymnasium at Abbot academy were held last Saturday afternoon.

Amid many words of praise for the generosity of parents, friends and alumnae, the first shovel-full of earth was turned over for what will be a colonial-design gymnasium housing a basketball court, two badminton courts, two volley ball courts, modern dance room and other game and locker rooms. It will be located on the south side of the campus.

Robert I. Hunneman, president of the board of trustees, spoke of the interest in education of the late George E. Abbot, for whom the gymnasium will be named. He was a trustee for 16 years and a large gift was made towards the gymnasium in his memory.

Other speakers included Burton S. Flagg, treasurer of the academy for 47 years and Miss Marguerite C. Hearsey, principal.

Among others taking part in the ceremonies were Mrs. Lenert Henry of Hingham, member of the board of trustees and chairman of the fund committee; E. Benjamin Redfield, chairman of the parents' committee; Miss Irene Atwood, president of the Alumnae association; Mrs. Edmund Nutting, chairman of the alumnae committee; Miss Dorothy Judd, physical education director and Miss Pamela Carpenter, student president of the athletic association. The Rev. Alexander S. Twombley of N. Andover offered prayer.

J. Radford Abbot designed the building, for which a $200,000 fund has been raised. The drive is continuing seeking $100,000 as an endowment for the building however.

### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration will take place in the Shawsheen school May 18 from 9-12 and 1-3. Bradlee school registration time will be May 19 from 1-3. Mothers must present proof of their children's birth date, according to Miss Ruth Wescott, school nurse.

## Baptist Church Will Hold Meeting May 17

The annual meeting of the Baptist church will be held May 17 in the church vestry. A supper, beginning at 6:30, will precede the meeting.

Devotions will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr. Moderator Raeburn B. Hathaway will preside over the business session.

Among business to come before the church members is the completion of plans for church repairs and renovations scheduled for this summer. The meeting will also discuss extended plans for the church ministry, especially in the field of Christian education.

Church officers will be elected at the meeting and reports from them and the various standing and special committees will be heard. The members will also act on the church budget.

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And now the state has held up the precious serum, for there have been several cases of polio reported among children innoculated. Perhaps that was the best decision under the circumstances.

But we can't help wondering, when we realize that the effectiveness of the serum depends, in good part, on a time factor. The first two shots are vital, but it is the third one – a few months later – that really does the job. Or so we understand from scientific articles by the serum's originator, Dr. Salk.

Thus, the longer the initial shots are delayed, the longer it will be before the youngsters can be fully protected.

It would be foolhardy to use the serum if there was any doubt that it will do the job. But scientists have said repeatedly that it is safe. They have viewed the coincidental attacks of polio as being no more than that – a coincidence.

Thus, we wonder if the delay in the program is a good thing. We hope no child here gets the disease because the serum was withheld a few weeks too long.

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## Coming Events

May
12 Service club, Andover Inn, 6:30 p.m.
14 Fair, Christ church, 2 p.m.
14 Rummage sale, Baptist church vestry, 9-12.
15 May procession, St. Augustine's school.
15 Communion breakfast, Free church, 8 a.m.
16 Firemen's Banquet and Dance, Country club.
17 Annual Meeting Baptist church, Vestry, 6:30 p.m.
18 Art Exhibit, Jr. High Library, 6:45 p.m.
18 Annual meeting, Visiting Nurse association, Square and Compass club hall, 8 p.m.
18 Garden club flower show, Christ church parish house, 1-8 p.m.
21 Pike school fair, school grounds, 1:30 to 5 p.m.

## Bloodmobile Visits Here May 16-17

Appointments for blood donations, May 16 and 17, when the bloodmobile visits Free church from 1-7 p.m., are still being made.

The Red Cross office announced this week that walk-in donors will also be accommodated as rapidly as possible between appointments. A baby sitter service and transportation have also been arranged.

Chairmen of committees on duty during the bloodmobile's visit include: nurses and nurses' aides, Mrs. Archie A. Gunn; staff aides, Mrs. Henry G. Tyer; canteen, Mrs. Frank S. Crawford and Miss Elizabeth Hilton; motor service, Mrs. Leon A. Field.

### MARRIAGE RETURNS

The following marriate returns have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Joseph V. Mack, 1057 Essex st., Lawrence and Hilda L. Patnaude, 14 Morton ct., May 1 in the First Congregational church, Hampton, by the Rev. William S. McInnes.

John R. Creamer, 53 Court st., Bangor, Me., and Barbara Ann Buckley, 31 Lowell st., May 7 in Grace Episcopal church, Lawrence, by the Rev. W. Harold Dean.

Franklin P. Swain Jr., 11 Weston rd., Marblehead and Marilyn Groff, 24 Brown st., Marblehead, May 7 in Cochran chapel by the Rev. A. Graham Baldwin.

William H. McKee, 6 Cuba st., and Marcelle E. Gagnon, 661 Essex st., Lawrence, May 8 in St. Anne's church, Lawrence, by the Rev. Omer M. Dumond.

James T. Charewicz, 219 Lawrence st., Lawrence and Beatrice J. Bourassa, 107 Chandler rd., May 8 in St. Augustine's church by the Rev. Henry B. Syvinski, O.S.A.

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## Down the Years with The Townsman

### 50 Years Ago – May, 1905

Bartlett Hayes of Phillips st. has been named coach of the Phillips Academy baseball team for the remainder of the season.

Punchard High defeated its rival Johnson High of North Andover 15-3 in a poorly played baseball game here.

A few of the remaining members of the Punchard High school class of '67 held a social gathering at the home of Mrs. Samuel Bailey. Some of those present had not met in many years and an enjoyable time was had in recalling high school days.

Firemen had a busy four hour fight with a brush fire in the Indian Ridge reservation. The fire raged until it burned out in the peat bog.

The Harvard Musical club gave a concert in the Town hall. The auditorium was crowded with Phillips Academy and Abbot students as well as townspeople. Horace W. Paine of Andover was part of a banjo duet.

About 5 p.m. on Sunday afternoon, a fire was discovered in the ell of the home of Mrs. Abbie F. Pease at 193 Main st. The firemen confined the flames to the area which contained the kitchen a laundry and a shed.

The annual May Breakfast was held in the Town hall by members of the William F. Bartlett Relief Corps. Thomas' orchestra provided music throughout the breakfast.

Wendell Wright has returned from Bermuda where he was employed during the winter months at a resort hotel.

A serious brush fire caused widespread damage at Haggett's pond on land owned by B. Frank Smith and the Boston and Maine railroad. Three camps, owned by Mr. Pierce of Lowell, burned to the ground. Several piles of new railroad sleepers were also destroyed. Firemen succeeded in saving the fine summer home of Selectman B. Frank Smith.

William G. Goldsmith has deeded land at the corner of Elm st. and Maple ave. to Charlotte C. Smith.

### 25 Years Ago – May 1930

During the past week there were 32 alarms of fire, some of them for fires of incendiary origin. Acres of woodlands were burned over, and several houses endangered. Vandals created great damage in the South church cemetery where headstones were overturned. A garage and filling station were broken into. Police searched the woodlands for a desperate bandit.

A Lawrence man, who had announced he was "out to get two cops" overturned a car which was stolen in Bridgeport, Conn. in a wild ride on the Andover-Reading road. He disappeared into the woods and State Police from the Reading barracks arrived. Nine troopers took part in the search.

The theft of a high powered Nash automobile from the garage of Burchard Horne on Bartlett st. was believed to be the work of the gangster who escaped the police net spread around the area of Foster's and Martin's ponds.

Townspeople were thrilled at noon when a formation of 80 U.S. Navy planes flew over the town. The planes were engaged in a training maneuver consisting of an "attack" on New York city which was launched from fleet carriers stationed at Norfolk, Va.

The Post Office department has announced plans to call for bids for land for a new Andover post office. Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers is supporting the plan in Washington.

Elm square has been opened to traffic in all directions. Work is progressing on approaches from Elm, High, Central and Essex sts.

A substantial sum was realized from the concert and Mother Goose bazaar held in conjunction with the 101st anniversary of the founding of Abbot academy. The funds are to be given to the Emily Adams Means library.

The annual meeting of the Andover League of Women voters was held in the garden of the Phelps house at which time 73 new members were admitted.

Israel Boucher of Shawsheen rd. has been granted a permit to erect a filling station on the south side of Shawsheen rd. in the vacant lot across from Brechin ter.

### 10 Years Ago – May 1945

Rev. A. Graham Baldwin has been appointed Area Chairman for the National War fund, according to an announcement by Harold S. Fuller, General chairman. Mr. Baldwin's territory will cover all of Essex county.

The board of public works has sent a statement on the recent surprise wage increases to the Andover Taxpayers Association, but the board would not make the statement public.

Rev. Frank E. Dunn, former pastor of the Free church, has been named chairman of the local war loan drive.

The Andover Town team will open its season this week with the Waltham City nine.

Old clothing drive here is a great success with 19,000 pounds collected, some 6500 pounds over the town's quota.

### ANDOVER GIRL HONORED FOR INDIANA ACHIEVEMENT

Helen M. Glennie was among several students honored for scholastic achievement at the annual founders' day ceremonies of Indiana university.

In addition to receiving public acclaim during the convocation Miss Glennie was presented with a certificate during the Dean's reception.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. Anna J. Harig, 359 N. Main st., is enjoying a cruise to the Bahamas.

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**Martin – Larrabee**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Larrabee of West Newton announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth M., to David Harvey Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Martin, 3 Washington ave.

Miss Larrabee is attending Lasell junior college in Auburndale. Mr. Martin is a sophomore at Boston University's college of business administration. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi fraternity.

No wedding date has been set.

**Bourassa – Ouellette**

A June wedding is planned by Miss Anita M. Ouellette, whose engagement to Arthur J. Bourassa of West Boxford, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bourassa of Andover, is announced by her mother, Mrs. David Ouellette, 150 Franklin st., Lawrence.

Miss Ouellette attended St. Joseph's high school and is employed by the Tyer Rubber company. Mr. Bourassa is a foreman at the Tyer Rubber company.

**O'Connor – O'Connor**

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Jane O'Connor to Lt. (j.g.) Edward Leary O'Connor, U.S.N., son of Edward J. O'Connor, Holt rd. and the late Mrs. Rose O'Connor is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah J. O'Connor, 45 Bartlet st.

Miss O'Connor, a teacher in the Wakefield school system, is a graduate of Mount Holyoke college, class of 1953.

Lt. O'Connor was graduated from Phillips academy and Yale university where he was a member of Chi Phi fraternity. He is currently serving aboard the U.S.S. Abbot (DD-629).

**REALTY TRANSFERS**

Sarah B. Downing et alii to George F. Dufton et ux, Chestnut st. and Highland rd.

George Richard Abbott et alii to J. Raymond Gallant et ux, Upland rd.

Elmire C. Guindon to Gergardt Boehmer et ux, Henderson ave.

William A. Doherty et alii Trs. to Henry E. Smith et ux, Harding st.

Winnie P. Mullaney Est. to Donald R. Cail et ux, "Ballardvale", Moody, Alman and Lowell sts.

Ida F. Arundale Est. to Florence N. Currier, Elm st. and Carmel rd.

Henry B. Arundale et al to Florence M. Currier, Elm st. and Carmel rd.

Florence P. Coussoule Glynn to Edward D. Sullivan et ux, Pearson st.

John N. Coussoule to Edward D. Sullivan et ux, Pearson st.

Robert J. Grant et ux to Robert L. Thomson et ux, Salem st. and Andover By-Pass.

Geneva H. Killorin to Harold J. Wightman et ux, Morton st.

**TO ATTEND CONFERENCE**

Pauline L. Coles, 10 Summer st. and Mrs. Lois Randolph, 102 Burnham rd., are expected to attend a two-day conference of the Massachusetts Federation of Nursing Homes May 17 and 18 in Boston, it was announced this week.

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**ASSEMBLY PROGRAM HELD**

**Students of the first grade in West Elementary school presented the monthly assembly program last Thursday, under the direction of teachers Eunice O'Donnell and Monica Skulley.**

Announcing the program was Jeffrey Laaff.

The Lord's Prayer was led by Maureen Gaudet. The 100th Psalm was led by Carol Brightman; followed by the anthem "Onward Christian Soldiers", led by Donald Swenson and sung by the entire school. The student body joined in the flag salute.

In the second part of the program, the Mama Doll song was sung by Dianne Rodden, Jeffrey Laaff, Ronald Valentine, Janina Wojtkun, Eric Holch, Rosemary Jolliffe, Susan Loosigian, Henry Raymond, David Thompson, Maureen Gaudet, John Haran, Theresa LeSage and Karen Stockinger.

Sailing song and story were presented by Donna Crompton, Ronald Valentine and Sharon Ahern.

Piano solos were heard from Charles Lane and David Thompson.

**Bird talks: Carol Brightman, Denise Walker, Ronald Valentine and Claire Arsenault. Bird songs: Chickadee, Tirra-lirra-lirra, Blackbird by the entire class.**

Tap dancers were Maureen Gaudet and Linda Greenwood.

The story of the Three Bears was told by Henry Raymond with a pantomine by Carol Brightman, Glenna Smith, Eric Holch and Diane Dargoonian.

Poem, "Politely", by Karen Stockinger, Linda Greenwood, Lynn Krauss, Glenna Smith, John Gaunt, Robert McGonigle and Leonard Boddy.

Original poems by Judith Allen, Rosemary Jolliffe and Denise Walker.

French song, Lazy Sheep, in English and French, by Jeffrey Laaff and Rosemary Jolliffe.

Song, Jumping Rope, by Judith Allen, Lynn Krauss, Mary Disbrow, Linda Greenwood, Theresa LeSage, Denise Walker, Lorraine LeSage, Lisa Loosigian.

Rules for Our Room, Lynn Krauss.

**Song, Little Bow Wow, Alan Denise, Fred Sunderland, Richard Land, Thomas Sirois, Albert Tobin, Dennis Lawson, Leonard Boddy, John Gaunt, James Beck, Daniel Denise and Donald Swenson.**

**Finale, song and dance, Skip to My Lou, by entire grade.**

**FETED AT TEA**

**A tea honoring Mrs. Beatrice Hunter of Lowell st., who is to be married to George Irwin of Claremont, N.H., June 5, was held recently in the home of Mrs. James Russell of Methuen. It was sponsored by members of the Womens' federation of the United Presbyterian church of Lawrence.**

Pourers were Mrs. David Fitzgerald and Mrs. Frank Jackson assisted by Dorothy Taylor, Mildred Longbottom and Mrs. Adam Murray. A beautiful mirror was presented Mrs. Hunter. The table was decorated with white roses, carnations, sweetpeas and daffodils.

**ENJOY HAYRIDE**

The members of the Pilgrim High junior fellowship enjoyed a hayride around various parts of West Andover last Friday evening. When the group returned home they had refreshments of hot dogs and hamburgers, etc., at the home of Norma Jean Peatman, Cutler rd. Ralph Morehouse was in charge of the group.

Those attending were: Eleanor Finnerty, Norma Jean Peatman, Billy Dubocq, Larry Muller, Susan Abbott, Bradford Webb, Judith Silva and Grace Smith.

**PTA ELECTS**

**The election of officers of the West Elementary PTA was held last Wednesday evening in the school auditorium. The following were elected to serve for the coming year: Charles Smythe, president, Herbert Krauss, vice president, Mrs. Harold Goddard, secretary, Mrs. Ray Austin, treasurer. Further officers and committee chairmen will be appointed at a meeting of the executive board.**

**ANTIQUE AUTO CLUB**

The north shore Antique Automobile club met last Sunday in the North District schoolhouse in West Andover. A noon luncheon was served and a business meeting held, following which the group made a tour of the surrounding country. Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood Jr., who are members of the club, were hosts for the occasion.

**WINS ART AWARD**

Miss Jacqueline Boulanger won third prize for her painting which was exhibited at the Arch-Diocesan Arts fair held recently in the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. She was also awarded a certificate of merit. Jacqueline is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Boulanger of North st., and is a fourth grade pupil of St. Augustine's school.

**FORUM PRESIDENT**

Ernest Dick, son of Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd., executive vice-president of Jack Henry incorporated, Kansas City, Mo., was recently elected president of the Mens' Apparel forum, an organization of mens' stores in 12 American cities and Hawaii.

**GRANGE NEWS**

**Andover Grange was well represented at Essex County Pomona Grange meeting which was held in N. Andover last Saturday afternoon and evening. Following the afternoon business meeting a very impressive memorial service, in charge of the chaplain, was attended by 23 members of Andover Grange.**

Supper was served by the North Andover grangers at 6 p.m. The fifth degree was conferred in the evening by members of the degree team. Deputy Clarence Anderson of Braintree, from the state grange, was the inspecting officer.

The Help Along club of Andover Grange met last Thursday evening at the home of Everett Belisle, Brown st. Plans were discussed for coming activities.

Andover Grange will hold a rummage sale in Lowell, this Saturday. Anyone having articles which they care to donate please call Alex Henderson or Ebba Peterson and they will arrange to call for them.

**CHURCH NEWS**

**The beautiful flowers on the altar of the West church last Sunday were given by members of the Lewis family in loving memory of their mother, the late Alice D. Lewis.**

The Rev. Hugh B. Penney, pastor of the West church, preached a very inspiring and most appropriate sermon last Sunday using as his subject, "Eros and Agape".

The newly formed boy scout committee met Tuesday evening in the home of John Gorrie, High Plain rd.

The committee to plan the church school picnic will meet tomorrow night in the church vestry.

**MOTHER & DAUGHTER**

**This year a very special treat is in store for the women of the West church. The Men's Brotherhood is going to prepare and serve dinner in the vestry Thursday, May 19. The menu will consist of roast turkey and all the fixings. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Malcolm Battles or Mrs. William Trow. A very entertaining program will follow the dinner.**

**CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS**

A double birthday dinner celebration was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, High Plain rd., honoring the Rev. Hugh B. Penney and Ralph Morehouse, pastor and religious director of the West church. Both celebrated birthdays May 6.

**ATTEND SHOWER**

Mrs. Frank Robinson, River rd., and Mrs. William Floyd, Laurel lane, recently attended a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Alfred Potvin of Methuen. Miss Ruth Dennis formerly of River rd., was the guest of honor. She is Mrs. Potvin's sister.

**BIRTH**

**Darby — A son, May 5 in St. John's hospital, Lowell, to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Darby of North Tewksbury. This is the fourth son.**

**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. William Dubocq of Hollis, Long Island, are spending a few days at the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Dubocq of High Plain rd.

Wayne O. Newton of Westminster spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, High Plain rd.

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ector of the West church. Bo
lebrated birthdays May 6.

**TEND SHOWER**

Mrs. Frank Robinson, River rd
d Mrs. William Floyd, Laur
e, recently attended a brid
ower at the home of Mrs. Alfre
tvin of Methuen. Miss Ruth De
s formerly of River rd., was th
est of honor. She is Mrs. Po
's sister.

**RTH**

**Darby — A son, May 5 in St
nn's hospital, Lowell, to Mr
d Mrs. Floyd Darby of Nort
wksbury. This is the fourt
n.**

**RSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. William Dubocq o
llis, Long Island, are spendin
few days at the home of the
a and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wi
n Dubocq of High Plain rd.
Wayne O. Newton of Westmin
spent the weekend at the hom
Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart
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BEVERLY DONAHUE

One of the most active Student council members is Beverly Donahue, who represents room 5. She also a council Red Cross representative.

In her junior year, "Bev" served as a Pron and graduation sherette, Service club and Prom committee member; and won the United Nations essay contest.

For two years she has worked the school newspaper and has ng with the Glee club for three ars.

During her senior year, as well her council duties, "Bev" has en a member of the French club, t yearbook literary committee t participated in the annual nt night.

Next September, Beverly will gin her training to be a nurse Lawrence General hospital.

**NIOR CLASS EVENTS**

**Friday, June 3: Junior - Senior Prom.**

Monday, June 6: Athletic awards sembly.

Monday, June 13: Seniors at t last day of classes and re r all books.

June 14, 15, 16: Examinations r all under graduates.

Tuesday, June 14: Senior beach ty, if weather permits.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, ne 15, 16, 17: Graduation practes for seniors.

Sunday, June 19: Graduation at p.m.

**AND IN FESTIVAL**

**The Punchard All-Girl band arched in the annual Music Festival held Saturday, May 7, Beverly.**

t was in the second division the six-division parade. At the d stadium, all the bands ayed a musical selection as y passed the reviewing stands. After the parade, all the girls ceived souvenir programs.

**OLDSMITH LIBRARY NOTES**

**Miss Muriel Shaw has announced that the following are e most popular books at the gh school for this year: Fiction —**

Bell, Love is Forever; Cavanna, ing on Sixteen; Daly, Seventh Summer; Davis, Hearts in im; Du Jardin, Marcy Catches p; Hammond, Cruise of Danger; chener, Bridges at Toko-ri; Hara, Green Grass of Wyoming; linko, Desiree; Weber, Meet the nes.

Non-Fiction — Alcott, Invincible nisa; Cochran, The Stars at oon; Gilbreath, Belles on Their es; Hunt, Conquest of Everest; ndis, Your Dating Days; Mann, The Jackie Robinson Story; Paras, Never Too Young to Earn; Peale, Power of Positive Thinking r Young People; Siemel, Tigre-ro; Zinkoff, Around the Globe With the Harlem Globetrotters.

**BUILDING ORGAN**

**Vincent Treanor, senior, and George Reed, junior high, have been busy building a pipe organ in the chemistry lab of the High school.**

Organ construction is a hobby of Vincent's.

The organ will be finished in time for the next P.T.S.A. meeting, May 18; and at that time the organ will be exhibited as a science exhibit to the parents.

**GOLF TEAM MEMBERS**

The following are members of the Punchard Golf Team which is currently playing the games on its schedule: Captain Richard Davis, Thomas and James Richardson, John Twinan, Robert Leete, Paul Gallant, Bill Gurry, Frank Quint, Granville Cutler, Harold Whitworth and Thomas Hale; Joseph Wright is the coach.

**VARSITY DANCE**

**The Varsity club's dance is Friday, May 13, in the Memorial Gymnasium starting at 8 p.m. "Mr. and Miss Punchard" will be announced during the evening.**

George Henrick and Lorraine Nadeau, seniors; Larry Lynch and Gloria Stanley, juniors; Peter Marker and Mildred Tangney, sophomores, are the students nominated for the title. Don't forget each penny counts as one vote.

**SNAPSHOT CONTEST**

**The camera club's snapshot contest is still open and the members would like more of the students participating before the final top pictures are chosen. Any picture of animals, children, or scenery can be submitted.**

**NAVY ASSEMBLY**

Representatives from the United States Navy explained their program to the senior boys on Monday, May 9.

**SENIOR DANCE**

The last dance sponsored by the class of 1955 will be held Friday, May 20, in the Memorial Gymnasium starting at 8 p.m. The committee hopes everyone will attend.

## Kids Go To Circus For Annual Outing

Thirteen members of the West Elementary school's schoolboy patrol found out yesterday afternoon what makes the circus so appealing.

They went to Boston with three adults to visit The Big Top, the delight of many youngsters and oldsters alike.

Their trip was the annual outing sponsored by the PTA of the West school. The patrol leaders, both boys and girls, are from the third and fourth grades of the school.

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WEDNESDAY: 11 a.m. – 8 p.m. Garden club Flower Show (Parish House).

THURSDAY: Ascension Day 7 and 10 a.m. Holy Communion. 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

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## WEST PARISH

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Mrs. William Greenwood of Beech cir. has returned from a visit with her daughter in Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wentworth of Pembroke, N.H., were weekend guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pray of Haggett's Pond rd.

Mrs. Sarah Aker has returned to her home in Greenwich, R.I. after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Harriett Lee, Haggett's Pond rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Belisle and family have moved from Bellevue rd. to the Belisle homestead on Brown st.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whiteside of Shawsheen rd. have returned after enjoying several weeks' vacation in Arizona. The trip was made by plane.

Miss Mary Fielding of Boston spent last weekend at her home on Lowell st.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman and family of Cutler rd. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White of Whitman.

Mrs. Earl Young and son, Robert, have returned to their home in West Springfield after spending the past week with Mrs. William Trow of Chandler cir.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McQuestion and family of Danielson, Conn. were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson of River rd.

Mrs. Carl Stevens of Lowell st. left Tuesday to spend a few days with her daughter and family, Lt. and Mrs. Rufus Small of Great Mills, Md. The Small family are soon to move to California.

Mrs. Iva Archambault of Albany, N.Y., is visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. Newman Matthews, High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cotton and family of North Hampton were Sunday guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rasmussen, Lowell st.

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## Births...

BORRELLI – A son, May 9 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. George S. Borrelli (Theresa Misuraca) 40 Topping rd.

CRONIN – A son, Robert John, May 10 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cronin (Clare Beirne) 32 Canterbury st.

MacNEIL– A daughter, Elizabeth, May 3 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. MacNeil (Mary Louise Watkins) 100½ Main st.

MURPHY– A son, May 4 in the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy (Irene Belanger) 25 Juniper rd.

SANBORN– A daughter, May 4 in the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sanborn (Genevieve LacLeod) Flint cir.

VINCENT– A son, May 5 in the Clover Hill hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vincent (Shizuko Ando) 53 Memorial cir.

**ATTENDS CONFERENCE**

Levering Reynolds III, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Levering Reynolds, attended the Massachusetts Pilgrim Fellowship council conference in Framingham recently.

He represented the Andover Association of Pilgrim Fellowship of which he is vice president of faith. The Andover association includes Congregational churches in this town, Greater Lawrence and Greater Lowell.

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**Punchard Beats Johnson**

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**PHILLIPS ACADEMY SP...**

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**PHILLIPS BEATS WORCE...**

Phillips academy shut ... ...ong Worcester academy ... ...ol, in a recent game. Tom ... ...as winning pitcher, coming ... ...eve starter Mike Fisher ... ...st inning and pitching ... ...ell until the seventh.

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The Blue Devils took Johnson over the hurdles, 6-1, Tuesday in a league game. Injury-ridden Johnson appeared jinxed, as the third regular in two days was injured. Charlie Curran received a mild concussion when struck on the head by a pitched ball.

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A rampaging Punchard team crushed Burlington high, 15-7, Monday. It was victory number four in the Merrimack Valley Suburban league against one loss.

A big third inning saw the Blue Devils score 11 runs as 16 batters went to the plate. They unleashed a seven-inning total of 16 hits, before the game was called because of darkness.

John Murray was credited with the win, although he split the mound duties with Bill Fisher and Bob Grudzinski.

**PUNCHARD GOLFERS WIN**

Punchard topped Central Catholic in a Northeastern Scholastic golf league match last week, 4-5. The results: Dick Davis and John Twinan (P) 2½, Jim Jordan and Joe Gurry Jr., (C) ½; Tom Hale and Tom Richardson (P) 2½, Ed Furnari and Mike Lane (C) ½; Bill Leete and Bill Gurry (P) 0, John Regan and Dick Lagrasse (C) 3.

**PHILLIPS ACADEMY SPORTS**

The varsity Phillips academy baseball team was beaten, 4-2, by Yale freshmen in a game Saturday. Ned Leroy was the losing pitcher.

Also losing was the tennis team, by a score of 7-2 against Harvard University freshmen. Capt. Mait Jones took the only singles match for Phillips and teamed up with Latchshaw for the only doubles victory.

**PHILLIPS BEATS WORCESTER**

Phillips academy shut out a strong Worcester academy nine, 5-0, in a recent game. Tom Burke was winning pitcher, coming in to relieve starter Mike Fisher in the first inning and pitching no-hit ball until the seventh.

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first game of the twin bill. Robert Prochazka and Henry Trow manage the Red Sox and Giants, meeting in the second game.

An 18-game season has been scheduled for the Little League, with some games to be played at the Woburn Street playground in addition to the Playstead.

The boys are having a busy time this week, as they received little league baseball shoes Wednesday as a gift of the Tyer Rubber company; take physical examinations this afternoon at 4:30 in the youth center by Dr. James A. O'Shea; receive uniforms tomorrow afternoon.

Earlier in the week, league officials and parents of all boys met at the Central school to complete plans for the opener.

The complete team rosters, following the last cut made May 7, are:

Final selections of the Andover Little League teams for the 1955 season were made Saturday May 7th. The team rosters are as follows:

Cardinals, Lafayette Stickney (c) Alfred Lefebvre, Thomas Mattson, Richard Seamans, Jeffrey Davis, James Leete, Glenn Dawson, Melvin Hutchings, John Faragher, Charles Haseltine, Barry Low, James Brent, Norman Wallace, Roger Lenfest, Richard Lacey, and Barry Spinney.

Yankees, Albert Carpentier (m), Kent Damon, Walter Blezinski, Bradley Richards, Richard Foster, William Gallant, James Carpentier, Jay Prout, James O'Reilley, Ray Collins, George Porter, Ronald Hajj, Dennis O'Shea, Dudley Whitney, William Leone, Herbert Westbrook.

Red Sox, Robert Prochazka, (m), Robert Cecill, Francis Kiernan, Thomas Lebach, Anthony Leonardi, Grant Whitman, Andrew Blake, Larry Cookson, Robert Land, John Kevin Lynch, David Murphy, Richard Chadwick, Charles Kenny, Michael Lebreck, Larry Sullivan, James S. Reilly.

Giants, Henry Trow (m), William Dalton, Michael Costello, Charles Smyth, Kenneth Di Prima, Craig Warner, Dean Ward, Edward Ward, Donald Anderson, Malcolm Sandberg, Dale Ward, Robert Partridge, Donald White, Kent Warner, William W. Butler, Allen Taylor.

## Monthly Buffet Of Sportsman's Club Is Saturday Night

The monthly buffet and dance of the Sportsman's club will be held Saturday night at 7 in the clubhouse.

Following supper, dancing will be enjoyed until midnight, with Chester Harnden acting as master of ceremonies.

Club president Kenneth Wade will be host for the evening, with the following committee assisting with the supper: John Broderick, John Keith, Eugene Zalla Jr., Walter Swenson, Larry Muller and Henry Batchelder.

The affair is open to members, guests and townspeople, according to chairman Harnden.

**WEDDING INTENTIONS**

The following wedding intentions have been filed in the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow: Donald I. Richmond, Orchard st., and Barbara L. Lawrence, Horseneck rd., So. Dartmouth.

Charles W. Anderson, Ballardvale rd., and Diane C. Widder, 53 Howard st., Haverhill.

Richard W. Baldwin, 19 William st., and D. Jacqueline Webster, 24 William st.

Richard J. Wrigley, 66 High st., and Pauline T. Hamel, 60 Berwick st., Methuen.

Preston S. Johnson, 22 York st., and Carol E. Reading, 303 Andover st.

Paul J. McVey, 32 Chestnut st., and Ann E. Smith, 14 Sargent st., No. Andover.

James B. Gillen Jr., 12 Carisbrooke st., and Marilyn A. McKay, 13 Fleming Ave.

**MRS. RUSSELL LEAVES ESTATE TO NEPHEWS**

Two nephews will share the estate of Mrs. Carita Kimball Russell, who died here Apr. 23, according to her will filed recently in probate court.

The will first left the estate in trust for Mrs. Russell's mother, Mrs. Lillia K. Kimball. On her death, it will be divided equally between Philip Mason Young of Lawrence and Robert Kimball of N. Andover.

The will also listed a bequest of $100 to John Hightower, Fort Worth, Texas, "whose mother was so kind to my daughter, Joan."

Trustees and executors of the will were nominated as Mr. Young and Roland H. Sherman.

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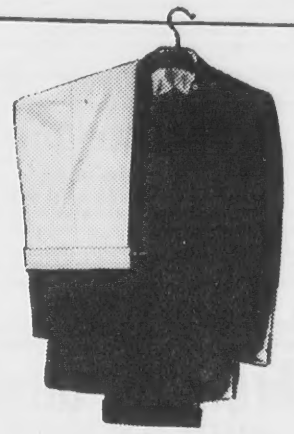

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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church School with graded classes for every age. 10:15 a.m. Carillons and chimes from the church steeple. Accept their invitation to attend church. 10:45 a.m. Morning Service of Worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., on the subject: Blessed Benediction. Mrs. Ralph Gilbreath, church organist. Anthem by the adult choir under the direction of Mrs. H. Allison Morse. Nursery for the small children of the parents who attend the Service. 7 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship meeting at the home of Bonita Hajjar, 133 Elm st. Debate between the fellows and girls. Filmstrip. Fellowship.

MONDAY: 7:05 a.m. Mr. Nelson will conduct the morning devotions on WCCM.

TUESDAY: 7:05 a.m. Mr. Nelson will conduct the morning devotions on WCCM. 6:30 p.m. Annual church meeting, beginning with a supper, in the church vestry. Reports from chairmen of committees, boards and organizations. Election of officers. Action on future plans for the church. Every church member is urged to be present.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal in the church parlor. Mrs. H. Allison Morse, directing.

### West Parish Church
REV. HUGH B. PENNEY, Pastor

FRIDAY: 8 p.m. The church school picnic committee will meet in the vestry.

SUNDAY: 7:30 a.m. Communion service in the Baptist church. 8 a.m. Men's Communion Breakfast at the Free church. 9:30 a.m. All Girl choir rehearsal. 9:45 a.m. Intermediate and senior high classes. Senior choir rehearsal. 10:30 a.m. Family service of worship. Groups for cradle roll, nursery and kindergarten children. Classes for primary and junior departments. Special anthem by the senior choir. Sermon: "Is There A Place Called Hell?" 6 p.m. Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall on Dascomb Road. 6:30 p.m. Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 9:15 a.m. 156th Annual meeting of the Mass. Congregational Christian Conference in Fitchburg, Mass.

THURSDAY: 6:30 p.m. Mother and Daughter banquet. A turkey dinner will be cooked and served by the Men's Brotherhood.

### The North Parish Church
(Unitarian) – North Andover
REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal. 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 84.

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Church School and Kindergarten. 11 a.m. Morning Service of Worship – Mr. Brown preaching. 11 a.m. Church hour nursery. 7 p.m. Unity Club guest night.

WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Mother-Daughter banquet of the Women's Alliance.

### Cochran Chapel
REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister

SUNDAY: 11 a.m. Service of Worship. Speaker, The Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, School Minister at Phillips Academy.

### St. Joseph's Church
(Ballardvale)

SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions are heard before Mass.

### Free Church
Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Th.D. Pastor

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 72. 8 p.m. May meeting of the Couples Club.

SUNDAY: 7:30 a.m. Men's Communion breakfast, sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches, meeting for worship in the Baptist church, and for breakfast in the Free Christian Church. 9:15 a.m. Senior classes in the church school. 10 a.m. Primary classes in the church school. 10 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 11:15 a.m. Monthly meeting of the Standing Committee. 6 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship. 8 p.m. Meeting of all church school teachers.

MONDAY: 1:20 p.m. Released time religious education classes.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing circle. 3:10 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 6:15 p.m. Choir of Youth rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

### Ballardvale Community Church
REV. ANTHONY PERRINO, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. The combined memberships will meet in the auditorium of the Methodist church to vote on the final ratification of the by-laws of the new church. Nominations of officers and a proposed budget will also be voted on at that time.

10 a.m. The Crusaders will practice at Woburn street.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school convenes in the Congregational vestry. 11 a.m. Morning worship in the Congregational auditorium. 3:30 p.m. The Junior youth will meet in the vestry. 5:30 p.m. The senior youth will have a fellowship supper in the vestry.

TUESDAY: 3:30 p.m. The Junior choir will rehearse in the Methodist auditorium. 6:30 p.m. The Senior choir will rehearse in the Methodist auditorium.

THURSDAY: 6 p.m. Friendly Guild will meet at the Congregational vestry and leave for their banquet.

### Christian Science Society
(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Mortals and Immortals".

Reading room 66 Main street open 12:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

### St. Augustine's Church
REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

SATURDAY: Confessions 4 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10:15 and 11:30 a.m. Benediction after last Mass.

### South Church
REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, Boy Scouts meet at Central School Gymnasium.

SUNDAY: 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. (Family service).

TUESDAY: 7:45 p.m. Prudential committee meeting at the church.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. South Church choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Alpha Phi Chi annual meeting and yard party auction. Please watch the papers and the Church bulletin for further details.

NOTES: May 16th and 17th: The 156th annual meeting of the Mass. Congregational Christian Conference, to be held at the Rollstone Congregational church in Fitchburg, Mass.

### JOHN COLBY JR. FINISHES ARMY SCHOOL

Pvt. John K. Colby Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Colby, 39 Salem st., has graduated from a 16-week technical course at the engineering school at Fort Belvoir, Va.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
**Department of Public Works**

NOTICE OF HEARINGS ON STATE HIGHWAY LAYOUTS FROM WINCHESTER TO THE NEW HAMPSHIRE LINE IN METHUEN

(Relocation Route 28)

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 104, Chapter 160 of the General Laws, Ter. Ed., as amended by Chapter 176 of the Acts of 1933, and the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 81 of the General Laws, Ter. Ed., as amended by Chapter 218 of the Acts of 1937, the Department of Public Works will give a public hearing at its office on the fourth floor of the Public Works Building, 100 Nashua Street, Boston, on Wednesday, May 18, 1955, at 2:00 P.M., to all persons interested in the matter of laying out a new limited access State highway as a relocation of Route 28 from a point on Forest Street in Winchester about 0.05 of a mile west of the Winchester - Stoneham Town Line and thence in a general northerly direction about 19.7 miles on new location through parts of Winchester, Stoneham, Woburn, Reading, Wilmington, Tewksbury, Andover and Methuen to a point on Broadway at the New Hampshire State Line in Methuen and crossing various streets as follows:

STONEHAM

Hill Street about 0.20 of a mile northwest of its intersection with Marble Street.

WOBURN

Montvale Avenue near its intersection with Maple Street.

Salem Street near its intersection with Mill Street.

Lynn Street about 0.10 of a mile west of the Woburn-Stoneham Town Line.

Dragon Court about 0.10 of a mile west of the Woburn-Reading Town Line.

READING

Walnut Street about 0.10 of a mile northeast of the Woburn-Reading Town Line.

Yankee Division Highway (Route 128) about 0.10 of a mile east of the Woburn-Reading Town Line

South Street about 0.20 of a mile west of its intersection with Walnut Street

West Street about 0.05 of a mile northeast of its intersection with South Street

WILMINGTON

West Street about 0.20 of a mile northwest of the Reading-Wilmington Town Line

Lowell Street about 0.25 of a mile east of its intersection with West Street

Grove Street about 0.05 of a mile west of the Reading Town Line

Concord Street about 0.15 of a mile east of its intersection with Woburn Street

Park Street about 0.05 of a mile east of its intersection with Woburn Street

Woburn Street just north of its intersection with High Street

Salem Street just east of its intersection with Andover Street

Andover Street just northeast of its intersection with Salem Street

Ballardvale Road about 0.55 of a mile north of its intersection with Salem Street.

TEWKSBURY

Vale Street about 0.07 of a mile west of the Andover Town Line.

ANDOVER

Dascomb Road about 0.40 of a mile southwest of its intersection with Osgood Street

Osgood Street about 0.30 of a mile west of its intersection with Dascomb Road

Lowell Street about 0.40 of a mile southwest of its intersection with Lovejoy Road

High Plain Road about 0.25 of a mile west of its intersection with Greenwood Road

Chandler Road about 1.00 mile southeast of its intersection with River Road

River Road about 0.60 of a mile northwest of its intersection with North Street.

METHUEN

Riverside Drive about 0.25 of a mile southeast of its intersection with Lowell Street

Lowell Street about 0.25 of a mile northeast of its intersection with Riverside Drive

Forest Street about 0.30 of a mile northwest of its intersection with Lowell Street

Pelham Street about 0.15 of a mile east of its intersection with Cross Street.

The proposed highway will also cross the following lines of the Boston and Maine Railroad at other than grade at the following locations:

In Woburn, the Stoneham Branch at a point about 0.05 of a mile west of the Stoneham-Woburn Town Line.

In Wilmington, the Boston-Portland main line at a point about 0.15 of a mile northwest of the Reading-Wilmington Town Line.

In Wilmington, the Boston-Portland main line at a point about 0.33 of a mile south of the Wilmington-Tewksbury Town Line.

In Tewksbury, the Andover-Lowell branch at the Andover-Tewksbury Town Line.

In Methuen, the Lawrence-Manchester Branch at a point about 0.4 of a mile south of the New Hampshire State Line.

A hearing will also be given, at the same time and place, in the matter of laying out a limited access State highway from a point on this proposed new Route 28 near its intersection with Andover Street in Wilmington and thence northeasterly about 2.50 miles through portions of the towns of Wilmington, North Reading and Andover to the intersection of South Main Street (present Route 28) and the Andover Bypass (Route 125) in the Town of Andover, crossing Andover Street in the Town of Wilmington about 0.65 of a mile north of its intersection with Woburn Street.

A hearing will also be given, at the same time and place, in the matter of laying out a limited access State highway in the Town of Methuen from a point on the proposed new Route 28 near its intersection with Pelham Street northeasterly about 2.0 miles to the intersection of Washington Street and Pleasant Valley Street, crossing various streets as follows:

Broadway about 0.10 of a mile northwest of its intersection with Hampshire Street.

Hampshire Street about 0.10 of a mile north of its intersection with Broadway.

Standley Road just north of its intersection with Nevins Road.

Howe Street at its intersection with Pleasant Valley Street.

This proposed highway will also cross the Lawrence-Manchester branch of the Boston and Maine Railroad at other than grade at a point about 0.2 of a mile north of the Spickett River.

Plans will be on exhibit for one hour before the hearing, with an engineer in attendance to answer questions in regard to same.

By order of the Department of Public Works,

MARY E. McMORROW, Secretary
Boston, Mass., May 9, 1955 12

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 245363
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN M. CRONIN, late of Andover in said County, deceased:

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-third day of May 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
5-12-19

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
**Department of Public Works**
**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed proposals for Furnishing and Installing Traffic Control Signals at the junction of Routes 28 and 133 (Shawsheen Square) in the Town of ANDOVER will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua Street, Boston, Mass., until 2:00 p.m. (DST) of Tuesday, May 24, 1955, and at that place and time publically opened and read.

Proposal guaranty: $280. Charge for plans and proposal forms: $5:00; amount returnable only to bidders. Complete information at said office; plans on display at District offices. Minimum wage and dump-truck rates have been established. Right reserved to waive any informality in or reject any or all proposals. An award will not be made to a Contractor who is not equipped to undertake and complete the work.

By: JOHN A. VOLPE, Commissioner of Public Works.

May 7, 1955 12

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 247,764
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of LILLIAN M. PUTNAM late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by WILLARD S. PUTNAM of Cohasset in the County of Norfolk praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of May 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
28-5-12

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 247,676
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of EDITH M. WELCH, otherwise known as Edith M. H. WELCH, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that MILDRED M. WELCH of Somerville in the County of Middlesex or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of May 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
28-5-12

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 246,691
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARION L. WOOD late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-third day of May 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
5-12-19

**HOSPITAL NOTE**

Elizabeth Bruner, five, Rocky Hill rd., was treated Monday in the Lawrence General hospital for an injury to her left little finger.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### Personal a

PLAN YOUR CLASS reunions early. Hall available and the best in recorded music for dances, parties, record hops, showers, socials, etc. Call Chet Harnden, Andover 2462-W. A-28-5-12

ANDOVER INN is again interested in knowing of private homes who will take parents over the commencement weekends of June 4 and 11. Please call 903. A-12

### Services Offered c

RELIABLE WOMAN wishes to care for young child in her own home days. References furnished. Call Andover 1706-W after 4 p.m. C-5-12

ACCOUNTANT AVAILABLE Saturdays and evenings. Will handle all or any part of your accounting detail, taxes etc. Reasonable. Call Mr. Hackett, Andover 2094-M. C-28-5-12

REPAIR SERVICE — Saws and Lawn mowers sharpened. Oil and Gas burners installed. General repair work. Call C. R. Bush, Lawrence 5317 or J. E. Hanson, Andover 195. C-10-17-24-31

CHAIN SAW RENTALS and small engine repairs. All makes of lawn mowers sharpened. Equipment Service Co., Lupine Road (Next to the Railroad Station) Andover. Tel. 3075. TF

TRASH, GARBAGE & Disposal. Trash 30¢ per barrel. Garbage 25¢ per week. Cellars, yards, stores and factories cleaned. Any refuse removed. Frank J. McLaughlin, Ballardvale St., North Wilmington. Tel. Oliver 8-2371. C-TF

CLOCKS REPAIRED, old and new, called for and delivered too. Harold Dennison, 83 High St., Andover. Tel. And. 2222-M. C-TF

DRESSMAKING and Alterations. Specializing in children's clothing Mrs. C. A. Piquette, 6A Burnham Rd., Tel. Andover, 2035-W. C-TF

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**
Docket No. 247,943
PROBATE COURT
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JAMES J. MURPHY late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a ceratin instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by MARY AGNES McMANN of East Riverside, in the County of Kings, New Brunswick, Canada praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of May 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
12-19-26

**ORGAN CONCERT AT MEMORIAL MUSIC HALL**

Berj Zamkochian will be heard in an organ concert at the Methuen Memorial Music hall tomorrow night at 8:30.

### Tailoring and Repairing g

INVISIBLE GARMENT MENDING — Burns, Tears, Moth holes, etc. expertly mended. Call Mrs. D. M. Hogan, 110 Waverly Road, North Andover, Telephone Lawrence 22116. G- 7-14-21-28

### Help Wanted—Female h

CURTIS CIRCULATION Company will appoint one mature woman of superior education as representative in Andover. For interview please write Box C-25, Andover Townsman, giving address and telephone. H-28-12-19

### Help Wanted—Male i

WANTED MAN CAPABLE of assisting superintendent in supervisory capacity in Water Department and also other related Public Works projects. For interview contact Sidney P. White, chairman, Board of Public Works, Andover. 1-5-12

MAN WANTED FOR full time employment by long established hardware store in Lawrence. Must be able to handle heavy packages. Address, S-99, The Townsman, Box 9, Andover. I-12

### Dogs, Cats and Pets m

CUTEST DACHSHUND PUPPIES for sale. Come in and see them at 129 Haverhill Street, Shawsheen Village, any evening. M-28-5-12

### Houses for Sale q

SMALL ESTATE CONSISTING of 10 room half brick house. One and a half baths, two porches, one screened, two car garage under large sun deck. Extra garage may be used as tool house. Excellent condition inside and out. All electric kitchen including automatic G. E. dishwasher, Frigidaire automatic clothes washer, Hotpoint range Oil heat, with continuous hot water. Excellent location. Well landscaped lot, 87,800 sq. ft. land. Call Andover 2895-M. Q-5-12-19

### Wanted to Buy u

ANTIQUES OR ANYTHING old. Marble-top. Walnut, Grape and Rose-carved Furniture, Glass, China, Silver, Jewelry, Clocks, Prints, Frames, Guns, Coins, Furniture Etc., William F. Graham Jr., 165 Golden Hill Ave., Haverhill, Mass. Telephone Haverhill 23708. With call to look. TF

PHILLIPS ACADEMY GRADUATE buying picture frames, old desks, jewelry, dishes, dolls, and marble top furniture. Appraisals given in strictest confidence. Tel. Lawrence 83072. TF

ANTIQUES — Am interested in buying good furniture and general furnishings of early type. The Wagners, 18 Andover St., Georgetown. Mass. Tel. Georgetown 7161. TF

### For Rent—Apts and Flats v

APARTMENT 3 ROOMS. Heat, hot water, gas stove and refrigerator. Rent $65. Tel. Andover 1254-W. V-12

### Automobiles for Sale z

1954 JAGUAR MARK VII Black, whitewall tires, red leather upholstery. Automatic transmission. Has gone only 11,000 miles. This is a private sale. For information, call: Clark Motors, And. 333. Z-

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## ROY E. HARDY IS MOURNED BY TOWN

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ROY E. HARDY

bowling alleys in Andover and Lawrence. For many years he was associated with the late James Ross in the firm of Hardy and Ross, amusements. An outstanding bowler himself, Mr. Hardy was also interested in other sports, once sponsoring a baseball team in the old city league.

An authority on assessing, Mr. Hardy was well known in the state as an expert and was called upon to speak on the subject in many cities and towns. Former tax commissioner Henry Long once wrote "Hardy is tops in my book, forever".

Similar praise for a long and outstanding public career was received from many county, state and local leaders when he retired from office in 1954.

In addition to his activities as a public servant, Mr. Hardy was active in civic and charitable affairs here. Eight times chairman of the Andover division, Community chest, he also served as chairman of the Red Cross chapter and chairman of the Andover Youth center.

Mr. Hardy held membership in the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. For 20 years, he was a director of the Andover Guild and served as president for four years. He served as a director of the Merrimack Cooperative bank.

Friends recall Mr. Hardy's aptitude in dealing with complicated figures. They tell of times when he listened to a financial problem and calculated the figures in his head while others struggled with pencil and paper.

He was a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1914, Phillips academy and Punchard high school, class of 1908.

Mr. Hardy, among his many activities, belonged to the Square and Compass club, served as secretary of the Board of Appeals and was a member of the first planning board in the town. He was a member of South church and was its treasurer for 10 years.

He had been a member of the first Pomps pond committee, chairman of the protective division of civil defense, chairman of the Andover Finance committee, treasurer of the Essex County Selectmen's association and chairman of the legislative committee of the State Assessors association.

One of his least known charitable efforts was in behalf of a young Italian lad, for whom he became a foster parent in 1953, through the Foster Parents' plan for war children.

Dr. John T. Batal, medical examiner, said Mr. Hardy's death was due to monoxide poisoning. Police reported that Mrs. Hardy found him in the garage when she returned home about 5 o'clock.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Helen (Knowles) Hardy; three daughters, Mrs. Charles I. Scheidecker of Mountainside, N.J.; Mrs. Norman R. Olson of Worcester and Miss Virginia Hardy of Washington, D.C.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 in the South church, followed by cremation in Harmony Grove.

Friends may call at the Lundgren funeral home this afternoon from 3:30 to 5 and this evening from 7 to 9.

The family has requested that flowers be omitted.

## CLAIM PURCHASE PRICE TOO HIGH FOR LAND

*(Continued from Page One)*

held within a few days to attempt to reach a satisfactory figure.

Collins pointed out that the land might be worth that much if it was to be developed by commercial interests, and he explained that three competent real estate appraisers have expressed satisfaction with the price.

At least two members of the school building committee are also satisfied with it, he indicated. The committee has indicated, whenever discussing the financial aspects of the new school, that $35,000 would be the land's cost.

Selectman Sidney P. White said yesterday "We better review all land values", if the price quoted to us is the true value. He said much of the land is swampy, there are old gravel pits on it and a bog in the back part.

The possibility of eminent domain proceedings against the property owners was dim, although suggested by some participants as the only satisfactory solution.

Mr. Collins, who is chairman of the assessors as well as the selectmen, said the purchase price would be peacefully arrived at. He said the cost of court proceedings and the ultimate decision of the judge might place the town in a position of spending as much for the land as originally asked.

The asking price for the land averages out to about $500 an acre, Collins stated. He pointed out that a real estate boom in town has driven lot costs up, with some reportedly selling at $2-3,000. He also indicated that the Shawsheen rd. area where the school will be located is classed as farm land now.

The assessment would be higher, he explained, if house lots were being sold from it. Mr. Collins did not believe, when questioned, that other assessments in the town would need to be reviewed if the town paid $35,000 for the Smith estate.

### VISITING NURSE ASSOC. ANNUAL MEETING MAY 18

The annual meeting of the Visiting Nurse association of Andover will be held May 18 in the Square and Compass club hall at 8 p.m.

Officers for the coming year will be elected and reports of the various officers and committees will be heard.

### GEORGE WALSH ASSIGNED TO OHIO

Airman third class George D. Walsh, son of Mrs. Mary D. Walsh, 28 Essex st., has been assigned to duty with the USAF hospital at the Wright-Patterson air force base in Ohio. He had been stationed in Sampson, N.Y.

### PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton, 49 Abbot st., attended a meeting of the Bay State Historical league last Saturday.


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